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METHOD SYSTEM AND CIRCUIT FOR PROGRAMING A NON-

**VOLATILE MEMORY ARRAY** 

## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This Communication is filed in response to the Final Office Action dated August 11, 2005, issued by the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified Application. Applicants are concurrently filing a Request for Continued Examination, including the required fee. A response to the Office Action was due on November 11, 2005. Applicants are filing herewith a Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time. Therefore, the due date for responding to the Office Action is extended to December 11, 2005, which was a Sunday. Accordingly, this Communication filed on December 12<sup>th</sup>, the following working day, is being timely filed.

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